

I would like to express my support for the expansion of privileges for the Amateur Technician class. I earned my extra class by working my way up through novice, general, advanced to extra. I understand the reasons for encouraging technical knowledge growth, but in our present world of "plug n play" I'm not sure the extra frequency carrot will work with the newer generation. I think the draw of more new Hams is the most important reason for this change. We work to be ready for any emergency, using our own money and time and the more we are in number the better we can serve. Thanks, Charles Wayne Squires AD5XR